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Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find the patent application for an invention entitled, "A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ADDING AND UPDATING PROTOCOL INSPECTION KNOWLEDGE TO FIREWALL PROCESSING DURING RUNTIME", filed on behalf of Cisco Technology, Inc., assignee from

inventors Sami Boutros and Steve Truong, including twenty-one (21) pages of specification, six (6) pages of claims, four (4) sheets of drawing figures, and one (1) page of Abstract.

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